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PORTLAND MARKETS

Quotations in the Portland Market.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce, and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, May 22.—The strawberry supply today was far from sufficient to meet the requirements of the trade, dealers generally reporting inability to fill orders. Bad weather for some days past has retarded shipments from the South, and Oregonians are not yet ready for the market in a large way. With a few days of warm weather berries will be plentiful. Today California's were quoted at \$1.40 to \$1.90 a crate and Oregonians at 15 cents a pound.

There was a firmer feeling in the potato market today, due to more favorable reports from the South, but no changes from the quotations of yesterday were announced. Jobbers are paying as high as 70 cents for select offerings, but stocks of the best are said to be pretty well cleaned up.

Reports were of unusually light receipts of eggs today, and quotations on candled goods were raised a fraction at the Board of Trade. On Front street the market was reported steady and practically unchanged, with 19 cents the top price for the best candled stock. There is said to be but little out-of-town demand for eggs just now.

Grain, Flour, Feed.

Wheat—Club, 82c; Valley, 82c; bluestem, 84c; red Russian, 80c. Oats—Producers' prices: White, \$28; gray, \$26@27. Flour—Hard wheat, patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.00; graham, \$4.50; rye, \$5;

whole wheat flour, \$4.45; Dakota, \$6.40@6.60; Eastern rye, \$6.60; Pillsburg, \$7; Corvallis, \$4.40. Rye—\$1.40 per cwt. Corn—Whole, \$32.50; cracked, \$33.50 per ton. Hay—Wholesale selling prices; Valley timothy, \$17@18; Eastern Oregon, \$20@21; clover, \$14@15; alfalfa, \$12@13.

Grain bags—Domestic, 85c; Calcutta, 9c. Millfeed—City bran, \$24.50; country bran, \$25.50; city shorts, \$26; country shorts, \$27; chop, \$22; middlings, \$30.50.

Barley—Producers' prices: Brewing \$28.50; feed, \$27; rolled, \$28@29. Buckwheat—\$36 per ton.

Cereal Foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$7; lower grade, \$6.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 45-lb. sacks, \$8; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 45-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.00 per bale; split peas, \$4.50 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.75 per bale.

Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh Meats—Veal, fancy, 100 lbs., 80c; 80c lb.; large and coarse, 50c; hogs, fancy block, 70c; heavies, 60c; beef, bulls, 30c; cows, 40c; steers, 50c; muttons, medium size, 10c; large and coarse, 80c. Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympia (120 Clams—Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2.00 per box.

Fish—Halibut, 6c; black cod, 8c; black bass, per lb., 20c; striped bass, 13c; herring, 5 1/2 cents; flounders, 6c; catfish, 11c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 7c; sturgeon, 12c; sea trout, 18c; tom cod, 10c; salmon, silversides, 9c; steelheads, 11c; chinooks, 10c; fresh, 12c; lobsters, 25c lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—Select (sell), 70c cwt; Willamette Valley (buy), 45c; East Multnomah (buy), 55c; Clackamas (buy), 55c.

Biliousness

Dull headache, furred tongue, yellowish cast to the whites of the eyes, sallow skin, offensive breath, are all signs that the liver needs a dose or two of

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

Onions—Jobbing price, \$4.75@5.00 cwt; buying price, \$4.25@4.50; garlic, 15c lb.

Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.00 sack; beets, \$1.25; parsnips, \$1.25; cabbage, \$1.75; tomatoes, Florida, \$4.50@5.00 crate; do Mexico, \$2.75 crate; cauliflower, California, \$1.00 dozen; do local, 50c@1.00; hothouse lettuce, \$1.25@1.50 box; cucumbers, \$1.50@2.00 dozen; celery, 85c@1; artichokes, 50c doz; asparagus, 80c@90c lb; beans, 20c lb; egg-plant, 20c lb; head lettuce, 40c doz; rhubarb, \$2 crate.

Apples—Select, \$2.50 box; fancy \$2.00; choice, \$1.50; ordinary, \$1.25.

Fresh fruits—Oranges, \$2.00@2.75; lemons, \$2.75@3.50; strawberries, 20@22c lb.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, \$2.00@3.50 box; limes, 75c per 100; oranges, new navels, \$1.75@2.50 box; grapefruit, \$3.50@4.00 box; bananas, 5c lb; crated, 5c lb; tangerines, \$1.40@1.50 box; pineapples, \$4@5 dozen.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—Extras, 27c; fancy, 26c; choice, 25c; store, 16c.

Eggs—Loss off, 16@16c. Cheese—Full cream twins, 15c; cream brick, 20c; swiss block, 20c; limburger, 22c.

Poultry—Mixed chickens, 13c lb; fancy hens, 14@17c; roosters, old, 8c; fryers, 20c; broilers, 22@25c; dressed poultry, 1c per lb; higher; geese, old, 9c; turkeys, live, 15@16c; do dressed, 17@18c.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$5.65; XX, \$5.45; beets, \$5.45; Golden C, \$5.50; extra C, \$5.15; powdered, \$5.80; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis; fruit or berry sugar, \$5.65; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1c if paid for in 15 days).

Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 25@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, Java, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arabuck, \$16.63 cwt; Lion, \$15.88 cwt; Colombia coffee, 14c lb; Salvador, 11@14c.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.25; Southern Japan, \$5.25@5.75; broken, 5c; head, fancy, \$6@6.75.

Sago and Tapioca—6c.

Provisions—Hams, large, 13c; small, 13c; picnic, 9c; boiled hams, 10c; \$5; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25.

Dried Fruits—Apples, 9@10c per pound; apricots, 27@29c; peaches, 11@13c; pears, 11@14c; Italian prunes, 5@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 7c per pound; black, 6@7c; bricks, 75c@8.25 per box; Smyrna, 16@17c per pound; dates, Persian, 6@7c per pound.

22c; boiled picnic, 28c; breakfast, bacon, fancy 22c; English, 15c; dry salted short clears, 10c; backs, 10c. Lard—Kettle-rendered tierces, 11c; tubs, 12c; 50s, 12c; 20s, 12c; 10s, 12c; 5s, 12c. Standard pure: Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 8c; leaf, 13c.

Raisins—Loose muscatels, 3-crown, 7@7c; 4-crown, 7@8c; bleached seedless Sultanias, 9@12c; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 8@8c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.00; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Canned salmon—Columbia River, 1-lb talls, \$2.10; 2-lb talls, \$3.00; fancy, 1-lb flats, \$2.25; 2-lb flats, \$3.40; fancy, 1-lb ovals, \$2.75; Alaska talls, pinks, 95c; red, \$1.40; nominal, 2s, talls, \$2.25.

Spices—Cloves, 25c lb; chillies, 13c lb.

Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.15; bales of 60-3s, \$2.15; bales of 40-4s, bale, \$2.15; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.15; bags, 50s, 1ne, ton, \$16.50; bags, 50c; genuine Liverpool, ton, \$18; bags, 50s, 1-ground, \$13.50; 100s, ton, \$13; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-lb cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool, lump, per ton, \$20.50.

Nuts—Walnuts, 15@20c per lb; filberts, 16c; Brazils, 20c; pecans, 14@20c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 68c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 7c; Japanese peanuts, 68c; chestnuts, Italian, 10c; Ohio, 25c; cocoanuts, dozen, 90c @1.00; pine nuts, 17c lb.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—1907 crop, 4@5c lb. Wool—Valley, 16@18c; Eastern Oregon, 12@18c, as to shrinkage. Cascara Sagrada (chittim bark)—4 @5c per lb.

Beggswax—Good, clean and pure, 22 @25c per lb.

Tallow—Prime, 5c; No. 2 and 51c; 1-barrel lots, 52c; in cases, 58c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 53c; 1-barrel lots, 54c; in cases, 60c.

Turpentine—In cases, 72c; in wood barrels, 69c; in iron barrels, 65c; in 10-case lots, 71c.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 12c lb; dry, No. 1, 12c lb; dry salted, one-third less; dry calf, 14c lb; salted steers, 5c pound; salted cows, 4c lb; stags and bulls, 3c lb; kip, 5c lb; calf, 9c lb; green stock, 1c less; sheepskins, shearlings, 10@25c; short wool, 30@40c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 50@90c; dry horses, 50c@1; dry colts, 25c; angora, 80c@1; goat, common, 10@20c.

Mrs. S. Joyce, 180 Sullivan St., Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It cured me of a severe case of Kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it."

TWISTING A BRONCHO.

How Colts Are Put Through the Grand Merry-go-round.

He was a big black beauty of a colt and just as mean as he was handsome. Bronco had never been thoroughly broken by his former owner, and when I first saw him he was in the hands of the best horse breaker in camp, who was putting the finishing touches to his education.

"They called this pony a' outlaw afore I took a-holt of him," remarked the broncho twister. "Shucks! Nowadays of a hoss bucks his caddle blankets off'n him the boys say: 'Outlaw! Bad broncho! Guess I'll ride that old hoss over yonder.'"

"I've sweated most of the ugliness outen him a'ready," continued the trainer. "He ain't got but one mean habit left, an' today I'm a-goin' to larn him to forgit it."

The mean habit referred to was this: When Bronco decided to go straight ahead he'd go-over rocks and down the steep banks of a wash, through cactus and the well named cat's claw, and if the chollas pricked him or the curved claws of the brush snatched at his flanks he would throw in some fancy bucking for good measure as he tore along. But turn? Never!

The trainer took his riata from the saddle horn and tied one end to the rope bridle or hackamore, fastening it securely under the jaw. Then he petted the colt, working toward its flanks, until the animal allowed him to reach the tail and fasten a loop of rope in its heavy strands.

The free end of the riata was passed through the loop in a way which would bring the horse's head and tail together when tightened, and by passing the riata once more through both hackamore and loop it was prevented from slipping when released.

"Now fer the grand merry-go-round!" announced the twister, and, standing away from the colt's heels, he pulled the riata taut until the animal was bent nearly double. "Keep turnin' till I say you kin stop," he commanded, and in fact the bewildered creature was revolving like a top and painfully learning the old lesson of his race—that man's will is law for the horse.

We sat in the shade of a mesquite watching him for twenty minutes or so, when the broncho twister decided that the stiff neck was sufficiently limber. When he mounted he discovered his error. The frightened horse danced and bucked with him and finally tried to roll over the rider, who sprang from the saddle just in the nick of time.

But his patience was by no means exhausted.

"Here's a shore way to make 'em limber," he announced, and, picking up a large flat stone, he tapped the horse's neck for a few minutes steadily, but not with sufficient force to hurt him. "He'll feel that perty soon an' find it easier to turn than brace his tender neck agin the reins."

When the pony had been reversed—that is, tied head and tail on the opposite side—and allowed to rotate another half hour, he was dripping with sweat and completely subdued. The broncho twister mounted, and the colt allowed himself to be ridden about the flat until he tangled in his trailing riata and fell, the rider still on top.

"Now we'll turn him loose an' see how he behaves hisself," remarked the trainer, and, unslinging the ropes, he again mounted and rode the now tractable horse in circles and figure eights, wheeling and turning at will.

As the trainer concluded, "I'd a heap sooner twist this critter's neck with a rope than have him break his back an' mine, too, over yonder cussed."

Which was the justification of Bronco's hard lesson.—Out West.

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MAY, 1908.					MAY, 1908.							
High Water.		A. M.		P. M.		Low Water.		A. M.		P. M.		
Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	Date.	h.m.	ft.
Friday	1	1:00	9.2	1:50	8.0	Friday	1	7:44	-0.6	7:46	2.4	
Saturday	2	1:35	9.1	2:35	7.7	Saturday	2	8:25	-0.7	8:20	2.3	
SUNDAY	3	2:08	8.8	3:18	7.3	SUNDAY	3	9:00	-0.4	8:58	3.3	
Monday	4	2:46	8.4	4:05	7.0	Monday	4	9:42	-0.1	9:40	3.6	
Tuesday	5	3:22	8.0	4:55	6.7	Tuesday	5	10:26	0.3	10:28	3.9	
Wednesday	6	4:05	7.4	5:44	6.6	Wednesday	6	11:08	0.7	11:28	4.1	
Thursday	7	4:50	7.1	6:38	6.6	Thursday	7	11:54	1.1			
Friday	8	5:55	6.4	7:38	6.8	Friday	8	0:40	4.0	12:45	1.5	
Saturday	9	7:08	6.1	8:26	7.1	Saturday	9	1:55	3.7	1:40	1.8	
SUNDAY	10	8:22	6.1	9:12	7.5	SUNDAY	10	3:10	3.2	2:38	2.0	
Monday	11	9:25	6.4	9:55	7.8	Monday	11	4:30	2.6	3:28	1.7	
Tuesday	12	10:25	6.9	10:38	8.2	Tuesday	12	4:30	1.8	4:22	2.2	
Wednesday	13	11:25	7.3	11:15	8.6	Wednesday	13	5:12	1.0	5:10	2.3	
Thursday	14	12:30	7.6	11:52	8.9	Thursday	14	5:55	0.3	5:53	2.8	
Friday	15			12:50	7.7	Friday	15	6:32	-0.4	6:34	2.5	
Saturday	16	0:30	9.1	1:35	7.9	Saturday	16	7:15	-0.9	7:15	2.8	
SUNDAY	17	1:06	9.1	2:22	7.7	SUNDAY	17	7:55	-1.1	7:58	3.0	
Monday	18	1:48	9.0	3:15	7.6	Monday	18	8:40	-1.2	8:48	3.3	
Tuesday	19	2:30	8.8	4:05	7.5	Tuesday	19	9:34	-1.1	9:42	3.5	
Wednesday	20	3:20	8.3	5:00	7.5	Wednesday	20	10:22	-0.7	10:45	3.7	
Thursday	21	4:15	7.9	6:03	7.5	Thursday	21	11:20	-0.2			
Friday	22	5:25	7.4	7:05	7.6	Friday	22	0	0.0	3:52	2.0	
Saturday	23	6:45	6.9	8:08	7.8	Saturday	23	1:18	3.1	1:25	0.9	
SUNDAY	24	8:07	6.8	8:58	8.3	SUNDAY	24	2:28	2.5	2:26	1.4	
Monday	25	9:20	7.0	9:43	8.5	Monday	25	3:30	1.8	3:26	1.7	
Tuesday	26	10:25	7.3	10:28	8.7	Tuesday	26	4:23	0.9	4:18	2.0	
Wednesday	27	11:20	7.6	11:15	8.9	Wednesday	27	5:05	0.4	5:03	2.5	
Thursday	28			12:15	9.0	Thursday	28	6:05	-0.3	6:08	2.8	
Friday	29			1:00	7.5	Friday	29	7:20	-0.8	7:25	3.2	
Saturday	30	0:30	9.0	1:45	7.5	Saturday	30	7:50	-0.9	7:55	3.4	
SUNDAY	31	1:05	8.8	2:25	7.4	SUNDAY	31	8:10	-0.9	8:00	3.5	